

25X1

CLASSIFICATION SECRET

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
INFORMATION REPORT

REPORT

CD NO.

638011

DATE DISTR.

15 July 1954

NO. OF PAGES

2

COUNTRY

East Germany

SUBJECT

Research and Development at VEB
Hydrierwerk Zeitz

PLACE ACQUIRED

DATE OF INFO.

NO. OF ENCL.

(LISTED BELOW)

2

SUPPLEMENT TO
REPORT NO.

25X1

THIS DOCUMENT CONTAINS INFORMATION AFFECTING THE NATIONAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES. PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF TITLE 18, SECTION 794, OF THE UNITED STATES CODE, AS AMENDED, THE TRANSMISSION OR REVELATION OF ITS CONTENTS TO AN UNAUTHORIZED PERSON IS PROHIBITED BY LAW. THE REPRODUCTION OF THIS FORM IS PROHIBITED.

THIS IS UNEVALUATED INFORMATION

1. The 1954 "Research and Technology" Plan of VEB Hydrierwerk Zeitz¹ contains eleven research and development projects. The following persons are engaged in carrying out these projects:

Dr. Kuehnhausen (fmu)	Dr. Schmidt (fmu)
Dr. Guenther (fmu)	Dipl. Ing. Greber (fmu)
Dipl. Ing. Kressner (fmu)	Dipl. Chem. Reinhardt (fmu)
Ing. Huetting (fmu)	Ing. Dietze (fmu)

2. The projects are carried out in the High-Pressure, Engineering and Measurement Techniques Departments of the enterprise. A total of 1,450,000 DM were approved for all projects in 1954².

3. The following table lists the projects, the individual total allotted for 1954, and the amounts actually spent during the first quarter of 1954. All amounts are in thousands of DM.

Project	Total Funds 1954	Amount spent First Quarter 1954
Catalytic processing of light oil ³	320	15.3
T-ester	240	62.1
Analytical investigation of hydrocarbons	85	11.8
Refining of lubricants	70	16.6
Single hydrocarbons	175	33.8
Hydrogenation catalysts	70	7.3
Thiophon (sic) ⁴	180	28.0
X-ray absorption paste	40	5.7
De-ashing of tar	105	12.7
TTU procedures ⁵	125	15.4
Analytical investigation of lubricants	40	13.5
TOTAL	1,450	222.2

CLASSIFICATION SECRET

STATE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NAVY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NSRB		DISTRIBUTION		ORR	Br	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
ARMY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	AIR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FBI							

25X1

SECRET

25X1

2-

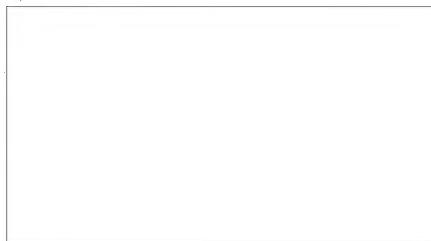
1/ Comment. An SAG enterprise until 31 December 1953; now under the Main Administration of Liquid Fuels in Production Area Chemistry of the East German Ministry for Heavy Industry. 25X1

2/ Comment. This amount was later reduced to 1,505,000 DM by the Ministry for Heavy Industry within the program of "utmost economy". 25X1

3/ Comment. TTH means low-temperature hydrogenation (Tief-Temperatur-Hydrierung). 25X1

4/ Comment. Possibly thiophene. 25X1

25X1



2

SECRET